

Hikvision USA Inc. /BCW LLC Engagement Letter

January 9, 2019

Jeffrey He President, North America Hikvision USA Inc. 18639 Railroad Street City of Industry, CA 91748

Dear Jeffrey:

This letter of engagement ("Engagement Letter") outlines the role, scope of work, and specific financial and billing terms of BCW LLC ("BCW") for the services specified below to be rendered to Hikvision USA Inc. ("Client") which will commence on January 1, 2019 and continues through December 31, 2019. It is understood that this Engagement Letter complements and is governed by the Legal Contract Terms and Conditions, effective December 1, 2017 ("Agreement") that has been submitted under separate cover.

Scope of Work:

During the term of this engagement, BCW will provide Client with the following professional services:

 Advise on public affairs and policy issues, Strategic planning and guidance, Media relations, Issues management, Internal and external communications, Coordinate outside consultants, Message development, Media monitoring, Media Engagement, Fact Sheets, Messages, and Q&As.

Financial Terms:

- Professional fees for the scope of work outlined above are estimated to be \$25,000 per month, with a monthly
 not-to-exceed of \$50,000 without prior written approval (email approval shall suffice) and will be billed to Client
 as stated in the Billing/Payment Terms below. The total estimated professional fee budget is based on services
 being rendered through the full term of this engagement. It is understood that the actual value of services per
 month may vary based on the specific services needed in each month.
- Actual and documented expenses such as postage, messenger, long distance telephone charges, photography, travel and related expenses and 3rd party vendor invoices will be billed in addition to the fees noted above.
 Please note that production related 3rd party vendor costs will bear a commission of 17.65%.

Billing/Payment Terms:

- An invoice in the amount of \$25,000 will be sent to Client immediately. Payment of this initial invoice is due
 immediately upon receipt. Thereafter, on or about the first of each month, an invoice in the amount of \$25,000
- Estimated fees will be reconciled monthly against actual hours incurred at Burson's standard hourly rates and
 expenses. If the actual fees and expenses incurred in providing Client's services exceed the estimated fees paid

Engagement Letter Page 1 of 4 by Client, Burson will issue Client an invoice for such additional fees. If any credits remain upon completion of services under this engagement and provided Client has remitted payment to Burson for all sums due, Burson shall issue Client a refund for such difference.

Expenses will be invoiced monthly as incurred. Expenses shall be listed on a category basis (e.g. telephone, fax, photography, etc.). Supporting documentation will be provided at Client's written request.

All U.S. professional fees will be based on time input at BCW's hourly rates in effect at the time such services are rendered. Such hourly rates are attached hereto as **Exhibit A** and incorporated herein by reference.

Except as may otherwise be noted above, payment of all invoices is due thirty (30) days of each invoice date, unless advance payments to third parties are required. In the case of advance payments to third parties, Client agrees to pay BCW immediately upon receipt of a BCW invoice for any such third-party invoice.

Payments may be wire transferred to the following account:



BCW reserves the right, at its sole discretion, not to commence or continue any services under this engagement if Client fails to remit any payment due hereunder within the time frame specified herein. It is clearly understood and agreed that should BCW exercise its right hereunder, BCW shall not be liable for any costs whatsoever (including without limitation, any cancellation fees or penalties), arising out of or resulting from BCW exercising such right.

Any work beyond the Scope of Work outlined in this Engagement Letter will be negotiated separately and outlined in a separate engagement letter on a per project basis. No such additional work will begin without the prior written approval of both parties.

This engagement can be cancelled at any time by either party with thirty (30) days' written notice. Client will be responsible for payment of the monthly fee (or pro-rata portion thereof) and/or hourly fees, whichever is greater, plus expenses incurred to date (including the thirty (30) days following the notification).

Please indicate your confirmation and acceptance of the above by signing in the space provided below and returning one (1) original signed copy of this Engagement Letter.

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BCW LLC

Name: Susan Lagana

EVP, Managing Director

Date: 01.09.19

BCW LLC

Name: Sharon Balkam

Title: EVP, Managing Director, Finance

Date: <u>01.09.19</u>

Accepted and agreed upon by an authorized signatory of:

HIKVISION USA INC.

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EXHIBIT A

BCW LLC 2019 Hourly U.S.A. Billing Rate Chart



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Hikvision USA Inc. /BCW LLC Engagement Letter

March 26, 2020

Jeffrey He Vice President, Global Public Affairs Hikvision USA Inc. 18639 Railroad Street City of Industry, CA 91748

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Beneficiary Bank: Redacted

Account Name:
Bank Address:

Account#:
ABA Routing#:
Swift Code:
Chips Code:

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Engagement Letter Page 2 of 4 Yours sincerely,

BCW LLC

Name: Matthew Ballard

Title: SVP, Senior Vice President

Date: <u>03.26.20</u>

BCW LLC

Name: Sharon Balkam

Title: EVP, Managing Director, Finance

Date: __03.26.20

Accepted and agreed upon by an authorized signatory of:

HIKVISION USA INC.

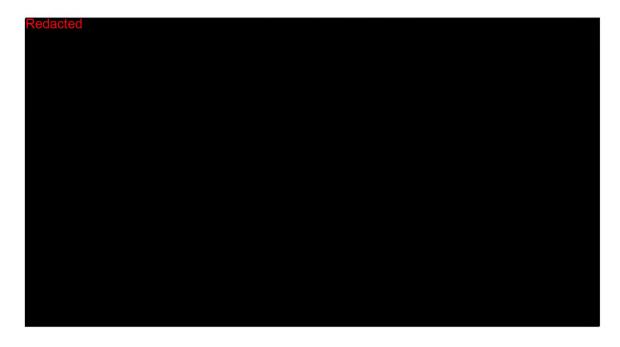
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EXHIBIT A

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Hikvision USA Inc./BCW LLC Amendment No 1 to the Engagement Letter

January 13, 2021

Jeffrey He
Vice President, Global Public Affairs
Hikvision USA Inc.
18639 Railroad Street
City of Industry, CA 91748

Dear Jeffrey:

This letter shall serve as an amendment No.1 ("Amendment No. 1") to the letter of agreement dated March 26,2020 ("Agreement"), entered into by and between Hikvision USA Inc. ("Client") and BCW LLC ("BCW"), collectively referred to as the ("Parties").

Whereas BCW and Client agree that the following changes shall be made to the Agreement:

• The termination date of December 31, 2020 shall be extended until December 31, 2021.

All other terms and conditions of the Agreement shall remain in full force and effect.

BCW and Client indicate their acceptance of the terms of this Amendment No. 1 by having their duly authorized representatives sign in the spaces provided below.

BCW LLC	BCW LLC
By:	By: Shalo Ballo
Name: Matthew Ballard	Name: Sharon Balkam
Title: <u>Senior Vice President</u>	Title: <u>EVP, Finance Director</u>
Date: <u>01.13.2021</u>	Date: 01.13.2021
Accepted and agreed upon by an authoriz	ed signatory of:
HIKVISION USA INC.	
By:	
Name: Jeffrey He	
Title: Vice President, Global Affairs	
Date: 01.19.2021	